

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE: Application of : John R. Cowen
 Serial No. : 10/162,104 filed on June 3, 2002
 For : PIVOTAL JOYSTICK BASE
 Atty. Doc. No. : 02-5007/CIP

Examiner:
Art Unit:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING
CONTINUATION-IN-PART APPLICATION (CIP)**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed simultaneously with a CIP application and is requested to be entered prior to examination of the CIP application.